

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA
CHARLOTTE DIVISION
DOCKET NO. 3:21cr186**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

V.

JOEL VARGAS-MEZA

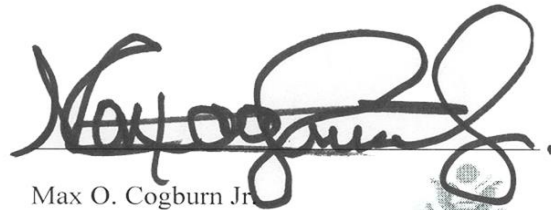
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ORDER

This matter is before the Court on its own Motion to administratively close the case as to **JOEL VARGAS-MEZA**. The defendant appears to remain a fugitive with no activity taking place in this case in recent times.

It is therefore, ORDERED that this case be deemed closed for administrative purposes only, subject to re-opening upon the apprehension or appearance of the defendant.

Signed: August 12, 2022

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Max O. Cogburn Jr.', written over a horizontal line.

Max O. Cogburn Jr.
United States District Judge